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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of the United States Patent and Trademark Office dated February 5, 2008, Applicants respectfully submit the following revisions and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this response

Remarks begin on page 7 of this response

The Examiner is thanked for the courtesy extended during the Examiner Interview held on April 3, 2008. Per our discussion, independent claims 1 and 69 have been amended to overcome the pending rejection.